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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)****FY 2007***(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)*

Docket Number (Optional)

**038920.56406US**

First Named Inventor

**Toru SEGAWA**Application Number **10/540,625**Filed **June 24, 2005**For **WORM REDUCTION GEAR AND ELECTRIC POWER STEERING APPARATUS**Art Unit **3611**Examiner **K. Hurley**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$ <u>120.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$460	\$230	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1050	\$525	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1640	\$820	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2230	\$1115	\$ _____

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number **05-1323 (Docket No. 038920.56406US)**. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**I am ☐ the applicant/inventor.☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number **32,169 / 45,164**☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

**Jeffrey D. Sanok / Paolo M. Trevisan**

Typed Or Printed Name

**October 29, 2007**

Date

**(202) 624-2500**

Telephone Number

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of 1 forms are submitted.

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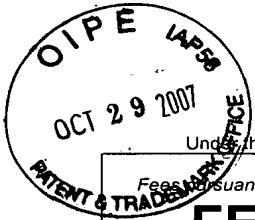
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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).**FEE TRANSMITTAL****For FY 2008**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)** 370.00**Complete if Known**

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Filing Date	June 24, 2005
First Named Inventor	Toru SEGAWA
Examiner Name	K. Hurley
Art Unit	3611
Attorney Docket No.	038920.56406US

**METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**

☐ Check ☒ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify):  
☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: **05-1323 (Docket No. 038920.56406US)** Deposit Account Name: **23911**

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, **except for the filing fee**  
☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) ☒ Credit any overpayments  
under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105	
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description		Small Entity	
		Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)		50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)		210	105
Multiple dependent claims		370	185
Total Claims	Extra claims	Fees(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
29	-28	1 x 50.00	= 50.00
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20			
Indep. Claims	Extra claims	Fees(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
4	-3	1 x 200.00	= 200.00
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 3			

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$260 (\$130 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 100 =	/ 50 =	Round up to a whole number x		

**4. OTHER FEES**

	Fee Paid (\$)
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Petition for One-Month Extension of Time	120.00

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<b>SUBMITTED BY</b>		50.00 BP	
02 FC:1613	10.00	Registration No.	32,169/45,164
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